

Claims

1. Moulding serving for pharmaceutical uses, such as a  
stopper (1) for pharmaceutical bottles, a  
5 protective cap (2) for medical syringes or a  
sealing element (38, 39) for pharmaceutical  
containers, the moulding (1, 2, 38, 39, 44)  
consisting, at least in a subregion, of a  
thermoplastic elastomer material with a mineral  
10 filler content of 30% or more and this subregion  
having a hot-runner injection point which is formed  
as a smooth-surfaced mark.
2. Moulding serving for pharmaceutical uses, such as a  
15 stopper (1) for pharmaceutical bottles, a  
protective cap (2) for medical syringes or a  
sealing element (38, 39) for pharmaceutical  
containers, the moulding (1, 2, 38, 39, 44)  
consisting, in a subregion, of a thermoplastic  
20 elastomer material with a mineral filler content of  
30% or more and this subregion having an injection  
point, which is injected over by a second part of  
the moulding, consisting of another plastics.
- 25 3. Moulding according to Claim 2 or in particular  
according thereto, characterized in that the  
injection point of the subregion formed from the  
flexible elastomer material is formed as a hot-  
runner injection point.
- 30 4. Moulding according to Claim 3 or in particular  
according thereto, characterized in that the hot-  
runner injection point is formed as a smooth-  
surfaced mark.
- 35 5. Moulding according to Claim 1 or in particular  
according thereto, characterized in that the  
moulding altogether consists of the elastomer  
material.

- 5 6. Moulding according to one or more of the preceding claims or in particular according thereto, characterized in that the hot-runner injection point goes over into the surrounding moulding wall without being offset outwards.
- 10 7. Moulding according to one or more of the preceding claims or in particular according thereto, characterized in that a hot-runner injection point offset outwards with respect to the surrounding moulding wall is encapsulated by a plastics part.
- 15 8. Moulding according to one or more of the preceding claims or in particular according thereto, that the smooth-surfaced mark of the hot-runner injection point goes over into the moulding wall surrounding it in a co-planar manner.
- 20 9. Moulding according to one or more of the preceding claims or in particular according thereto, characterized in that the moulding is of a predominantly thick-walled form.
- 25 10. Moulding according to one or more of the preceding claims or in particular according thereto, characterized in that, in the case of the stopper (1), a stopper top (13) and a stopper collar (14) are formed and in that there is a central hot-runner injection (A) in the region of the stopper top (13).
- 30 11. Moulding according to one or more of the preceding claims or in particular according thereto, characterized in that, in the case of the stopper, the stopper top (13) has a central region (12) of smaller wall thickness (x) and an edge region (15) of greater wall thickness (y).
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12. Moulding according to one or more of the preceding claims or in particular according thereto, characterized in that it takes the form of a protective cap (2) for medical syringes and in that the protective cap (2) has a hot-runner injection (A) in the region of the cap hat (18).
13. Moulding according to one of more of the preceding claims or in particular according thereto, characterized in that the thermoplastic elastomer material contains a proportion of plasticizers.
14. Moulding according to one or more of the preceding claims or in particular according thereto, characterized by being formed as a sealing element for a pharmaceutical bottle, a central hot-runner injection (A) being provided in an outer surface.
15. Moulding according to one or more of the preceding claims or in particular according thereto, characterized in that, in the case of a stopper, the stopper collar (14) has a greater wall thickness (z) than the stopper top (13) in its central region.
16. Protective cap (2) produced in the plastics injection-moulding process for medical syringes, with a solid cap hat (18) and a comparatively thin-walled cap neck (19), characterized in that the protective cap (2) consists of thermoplastic elastomer material with a mineral filler content of 30% or more and in that there is a hot-runner injection (A) in the region of the cap hat (18).
17. Protective cap according to Claim 16 or in particular according thereto, characterized in that the thermoplastic elastomer material contains a proportion of plasticizer.

18. Protective cap according to Claim 16 or 17 or in particular according thereto, characterized in that a central hot-runner injection (A) is performed in the region of the tip of the cap hat.

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19. Method for producing a moulding for a pharmaceutical use, such as a stopper (1) for pharmaceutical bottles, a protective cap (2) for medical syringes or a sealing element (38, 39) for pharmaceutical containers, characterized in that the moulding is produced, at least in a subregion, from a thermoplastic elastomer material with a mineral filler content of 30% or more and this subregion is configured by a hot-runner injection, the injection point being formed as a smooth-surfaced mark.

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20. Method for producing a moulding for a pharmaceutical use, such as a stopper (1) for pharmaceutical bottles, a protective cap (2) for medical syringes or a sealing element (38, 39) for pharmaceutical containers, characterized in that the moulding is produced, in a subregion, from a thermoplastic elastomer material with a mineral filler content of 30% or more and this subregion is configured by an injection having an injection point, which injection point is injected over with another plastics, forming a second subregion of the moulding.

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21. Method according to Claim 20 or in particular according thereto, characterized in that the injection of the thermoplastic elastomer material is carried out by a hot-runner injection.

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22. Method according to Claim 21 or in particular according thereto, characterized in that the injection point of the hot-runner injection is formed as a smooth-surfaced mark.

23. Method according to Claim 19 or in particular  
according thereto, characterized in that the  
moulding altogether consists of the elastomer  
material.

24. Method according to one or more of the preceding  
claims or in particular according thereto,  
characterized in that the hot-run injection point  
is produced such that it goes over into the  
surrounding moulding wall without any offset  
outwards.

25. Method according to one or more of the preceding  
claims or in particular according thereto,  
characterized in that the injection point is  
produced with an offset outwards with respect to  
the surrounding moulding wall.

26. Method for producing a stopper (1) for  
pharmaceutical bottles (3), such as for example  
infusion bottles, in the plastics injection-  
moulding process, with a stopper top (13) and a  
stopper collar (14), characterized in that a  
thermoplastic elastomer material with a 30% or more  
admixed mineral filler content is used and in that  
a central hot-runner injection (A) is performed in  
the region of the stopper top (13) of the stopper  
(1) of a predominantly thick-walled form.

27. Method according to Claim 26 or in particular  
according thereto, characterized in that the  
stopper collar (14) is formed with a greater wall  
thickness (z) than the stopper top (13) in its  
central region.

28. Method according to either of Claims 26 and 27 or  
in particular according thereto, characterized in  
that the stopper top (13) is formed with a central

region of lesser wall thickness (x) and an edge region (15) of greater wall thickness (y).

29. Method for producing a protective cap (2) for  
5 medical syringes in the plastics injection-moulding  
process, with a solid cap hat (18) and a  
comparatively thin-walled cap neck (19),  
characterized in that a thermoplastic elastomer  
material with a 30% or more admixed mineral filler  
10 content is used and in that a central hot-runner  
injection (A) is performed in the region of the cap  
hat (18).
30. Method according to Claim 29 or in particular  
15 according thereto, characterized in that the hot-  
runner injection (A) is performed centrally on the  
cap hat (18).
31. Method according to either of Claims 29 and 30 or  
20 in particular according thereto, characterized in  
that a proportion of plasticizer is added to the  
thermoplastic elastomer material.

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